

REMARKS

I. Applicants' Statement of the Substance of the Interview

Applicants' representatives had a telephonic interview with the Examiner on 2/12/2009. Examiners David N. Werner and Mehrdad Dastouri participated in the interview. In addition, Applicants' representatives Ali Makoui and Nathaniel Ross participated.

During the interview, Applicants' representatives reviewed the independent claims and the specification with the Examiner. Applicants' representatives also discussed the cited references, namely Noh and Chiang. During the interview, Applicants' representatives and the Examiners came to an agreement regarding the claims, which is reflected in this Amendment.

Applicants thank the Examiner for the in-person interview. An Interview Summary by the Examiner was mailed on 2/18/2009. The present Applicants' statement of the substance of the interview is submitted within one month of the mailing date of the Interview Summary.

II. Amendments and Cancellations of Claims

In this Amendment, Applicants have amended claims 1, 15-16, 20, and 25-27. Applicants have amended claims 1 and 15 in accordance with the agreement reached with the Examiner during the interview, and have amended dependent claims 16, 20, and 25-27 accordingly. Applicants have also canceled claims 5-8, 12-14, 17-19, and 21 to expedite prosecution. Applicant does not surrender any equivalents to any amended limitation or elements of any claim.

CONCLUSION

Applicants respectfully submit that all the claims, namely claims 1, 15-16, and 20-27, are in condition for allowance. Reconsideration of the rejections is requested and allowance is earnestly solicited at the earliest possible date.

Applicant has submitted all known required fees and all known petitions. Accordingly, Applicant believes that no additional fees, extension of time, petition, and/or relief are required for the submission of this Amendment. However, in the unlikely event that the Commissioner determines that additional fees, extension of time, petition, and/or other relief are required, Applicant hereby requests such petition, extension of time, and/or relief and authorizes the Commissioner to charge the cost of such petitions and/or relief to Deposit Account No. **50-3804** referencing **APPLE.P0036**.

Respectfully Submitted,

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